Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Saturday 05 Feb 2022 until 23:59 on Sunday 06 Feb 2022

Forecast Issued on Friday 04 Feb 2022 at 15:15

Confidence: High for unsettled and often windy conditions through the coming days. Lower confidence for the timings or rain bands, especially early next week.

Headline for Saturday 05 Feb 2022: Dry morning but rain arriving in afternoon. Strong winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 05 Feb 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Medium Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Medium Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Low Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Cloudy	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability							
10%	10%	10%	10%	40%	90%	90%	90%

Forecast for Saturday 05 Feb 2022

Weather: Mainly dry with clear spells overnight. A dry morning but cloud thickening from the west. Outbreaks of rain arriving in the afternoon, falling briefly as snow above 800m. Rain turning persistent and occasionally heavy from around mid afternoon and lasting for the rest of the day.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 80% overnight and during the morning but falling to 30% in the afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Mainly good overnight and morning with patchy fog on the tops. Cloud becoming persistent and extensive through the afternoon above 600m with patches on lower slopes. Below the cloud, good in the morning but often down to a few km in rain in the afternoon.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	17/25 W	19/28 W	21/32 W	25/35 SW	31/44 SW	32/47 W	32/46 W	32/46 W	31/45 W
300	9/22 W	10/24 W	12/27 SW	15/32 SW	20/40 SW	21/43 W	20/41 W	20/42 W	20/40 W
Valley	8/21 W	9/23 W	10/25 SW	14/31 SW	18/39 SW	19/41 W	18/40 W	19/41 W	18/40 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	-0/-6	0/-6	1/-6	2/-4	4/-2	5/-2	5/-2	5/-1	5/-1
300	2/-2	2/-3	2/-2	4/-0	7/2	7/2	7/2	7/3	7/3
Valley	2/-1	2/-2	3/-1	5/1	8/4	8/4	8/4	8/4	8/4
Freezing Level*	500m	500m	600m	900m	1200m	1300m	1400m	1400m	1500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Conditions deteriorating during the late morning and afternoon as winds strengthen and rain arrives. Gusts of 60mph across high summits and ridges above 700m.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
15:00 on Fri 04 Feb 2022	9mm	10.2mm	11.2mm

Forecast for Sunday 06 Feb 2022

Weather: Mostly cloudy with further showery outbreaks of rain, heavy at first. Some bright spells for a time during the morning. Perhaps some sleet or snow above 800m but low confidence for this aspect of the forecast. Strong winds and severe wind chill at height.

Maximum wind: West or Northwest 30 to 40mph gusting 60mph, easing to 25 to 30mph gusting 40mph during the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 40%.

Low cloud and visibility: Frequent cloud above 600m. Occasionally very good between showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 7 or 8 Celsius, falling to Plus 2 Celsius in the evening.
At 600m: Plus 5 Celsius overnight, falling to Plus 2 Celsius in morning.
Freezing level: Just above summits.

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